

BOX MISSING PARTS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Mark G. Roberts, Jr. et al. Attorney Docket No.: TALK117602  
Application No.: 10/053,232 Group Art Unit: 2661  
Filed: January 17, 2002  
Title: DIGITAL REMOTE SIGNALING SYSTEM

**TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS OF PATENT APPLICATION/  
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME/  
SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION/  
REQUEST FOR RECORDATION OF ASSIGNMENT**

May 1, 2002

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Request for Extension of Time

Applicants respectfully request that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated February 21, 2002, set to expire on April 21, 2002, be extended by one month, to expire on May 21, 2002. The enclosed check includes the one-month extension fee of \$55.

B. Transmitted herewith are the following:

- X 1. An executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.  
X 2. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.  
X 3. A Substitute Specification is enclosed. The substitute specification includes no new matter. The only change to the specification is the addition of line numbers in order that any amendment to the specification may be made by replacement paragraph in accordance with § 1.121(b)(1).  
X 4. Small entity status is asserted for this matter.

COMPUTATION OF FEE

	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate	
Basic Fee						\$ 370
Total Claims	75 - 20	=	55	x	9	= 495
Independent Claims	10 - 3	=	7	x	42	= 294
Surcharge				+	65	65
Extension of Time (1 mo.)					55	55
TOTAL						\$1,279

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C. Payment Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 138242 in the amount of \$1,279.00 to cover the requisite fees.

D. Assignment Enclosed

An Assignment of the invention to Talkie Tooter, Inc.. A Recordation Form Cover Sheet prepared in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.31 is attached to the Assignment, along with a separate check for the recordation fee. Please record this Assignment in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.11.

E. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. *A copy of this document is enclosed.*

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

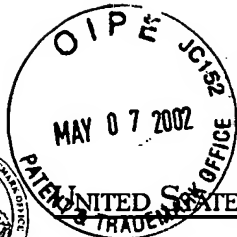
I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid addressed to Box Missing Parts, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 2327, Arlington, VA 22202, on the date specified below.

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## FORMALITIES LETTER



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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$789.
  - \$495 for 55 total claims over 20.
  - \$294 for 7 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1224.

*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

  
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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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